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SUBJECT: LETTER OF JANUARY 23, 1976 FROM ICELAND'S PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVE TO UN SECURITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

1. UN SECRETARIAT HAS CIRCULATED LETTER DATED JANUARY 23, 1976 FROM ICELAND'S PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE INGVARSSON TO PRESIDENT OF UN SECURITY COUNCIL (S/11944, 26 JANUARY 1976). LETTER ENCLOSED ENGLISH LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF TRANSCRIPTS MADE AT HEARINGS HELD UNDER MARITIME INQUIRY CONDUCTED IN MARITIME AND COMMERCIAL COURTS OF CITY OF REYKJAVIK AND TOWN OF SIGLUFJORDUR ON DECEMBER 19 AND 24, 1975 INTO DECEMBER 11, 1975 EVENTS AT ENTRANCE OF SEYDISFJORDUR FIORD INVOLVING BRITISH VESSELS "LLOYDSMAN", STAR POLARIS", AND "STAR AQUARIUS", AND ICELANDIC COASTGUARD VESSEL "THOR".

2. INGVARSSON'S LETTER CONCLUDED: "THERE IS EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE, THEREFORE, THAT THIS WAS NOTHING BUT A PREMEDITATED AND PLANNED ATTACK UPON AN ICELANDIC COAST GUARD VESSEL ON AN ORDINARY MISSION OF LAW ENFORCEMENT, ON THE PART OF THE BRITISH VESSELS AT THE INSTIGATION AND UNDER THE
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SUPERVISION OF THE BRITISH WARSHIPS NOW PROTECTING THE

UNLAWFUL OPERATION OF BRITISH FISHING TRAWLERS INSIDE
THE 200 MILE FISHERIES JURISDICTION OF ICELAND."

3. DOCUMENT S/11944 IS BEING POUCHED TO ADDRESSEES.
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